

Brachyelytrum erectum

Long-Awned Wood Grass



A grass of open woods, and woodland margins, with wide blades and heads like wheat. Foliage turns light tan in the fall.

Suggested companions: bottlebrush grass (*Elymus hystrix*), thimbleweed (*Anemone virginiana*), columbine (*Aquilegia canadensis*), oaks (*Quercus* sp.), hickories (*Carya* sp.), hop-hornbeam (*Ostrya virginia*), serviceberry (*Amelanchier arborea/laevis*)

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Plant Type: Grass/Grasslike

Size: 2-4' H
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Water Tolerant: No

Habitat:

Forested Upland
Woodland Margin

Soil: Average Garden Soil
Rich Moist

Exposure: sun
 filtered

Flower Color:

Bloom Time:

Plant in:

Groundcover: Yes

Other Attributes:

Wildlife attracting
Winter interest
Butterfly attracting